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ROUTED THE BOERS

General French, by a Brilliant Dash, Reaches Kimberley.

TOWN IS FINALLY RELIEVED.

Whereabouts of the Wily Cronje a Mystery That Causes Anxiety.

ROBERTS TELLS OF HIS SUCCESS.

His Brief Dispatches Cause Immense Satisfaction in London, but Paris Reports State That the British Are Caught in Another Trap. War News.

London, Feb. 16.—The war office makes public the following dispatch from Field Marshal Lord Roberts, dated Jacobsdale, Feb. 16: "The following from General French was received this morning: 'I have completely dispersed the enemy from the southern side of Kimberley, from Alexandersfontein to Oliphantsfontein, and am now going to occupy their ground. Have captured the enemy's laager and store depot supplies and supplies of ammunition. Casualties, about 20 of all ranks wounded. Kimberley cheerful and well.'"

London, Feb. 16.—While there is tremendous satisfaction and jubilation here at Field Marshal Lord Roberts' and General French's success, those best suited to judge the situation are inclined to the opinion that pending more definite information, the news



GENERAL FRENCH.

had better be regarded as assuring, rather than as accomplishing the relief of the beleaguered city of Kimberley. A careful study of the ambiguity of the wording of Lord Roberts' dispatch leads to the belief that the actual relief of the place is still a matter of time. Kimberley, it is pointed out, can scarcely be termed relieved till it is feasible to take provisions there.

The rapidity of General French's march indicates that he was unable to do this, and whether he left his lines behind him open is only a matter of surmise. It is considered most probable that Lord Roberts and General French's brilliant tactical success, for such it is under any circumstances, resembles the first relief of Lucknow, when the dispersal of the enemy's forces was by no means immediately effected. Another remarkable feature of Lord Roberts' laconic cablegram is the fact that it is dated at Jacobsdale, which was General Cronje's advance base of supplies; yet there is no word explaining the British commander's presence there, nor word of any opposition which he or General French encountered. Had Lord Roberts inflicted a decisive defeat on the Boers, it is believed he would have mentioned it, as such a success would be greatly paramount to the relief of Kimberley, or the throwing into that place of a garrison which would assure it holding out.

However, General French's entry into Kimberley has been effected, and doubtless brings joy to the hearts of those who have been shut up in the city for 122 days. Their defenders number about 4,000, while General French's force is estimated at between 6,000 and 8,000 men. The Sixth and Seventh divisions have already crossed the river and are probably with Lord Roberts at Jacobsdale. What has happened to General Cronje and the

whereabouts of his forces puzzles the experts.

A dispatch from Cape Town, dated Wednesday, says the Boers were leaving Magersfontein to reinforce other positions. It is estimated that between 7,000 and 10,000 men remain there.

Lord Roberts' wide turning movement, via Jacobsdale, may have cut off these troops from Bloemfontein, but while the British forces are endeavoring to intercept the Boer communications, there is a parallel Boer column trying to cut off the British lines to De Aar, and it is apparently meeting with some success, though later dispatches referring to General Clements' retirement to Arundel say the movement was undertaken for strategic purposes, and that during the course of the march the Boers were driven off by a heavy fire, the Inniskillings charging brilliantly and inflicting great loss on the burghers.

A Boer dispatch from Lorenzo Marques, dated Thursday, Feb. 15, says the initial attack on Colesburg Feb. 12 resulted in a Federal loss of 9 killed and 14 wounded and five prisoners. The British, it is added, were driven out of their camp and one of their Maxims was captured.

Say It's a Trap.

The news of General French's entry into Kimberley was received on the stock exchange here with rousing cheers. No boom in stocks was created, but a satisfactory strong undertone prevailed. De Beers rose 1½, but subsequently fell 1¼ on a Paris rumor that General French had merely fallen into a Boer trap.

The dispatch referring to the condition of Ladysmith is regarded as reassuring. There is no further word from General Buller, and nothing startling is expected to occur in Natal in the immediate future.

A Sterkstroom dispatch says that Colonel Eagar, who was wounded and captured at Stormberg, died Feb. 13. The Boers turned his body over to the British at Molteno.

A mutilated dispatch from Cape Town, dated Wednesday, says some grenadiers went through a body of 80 Boers four times, and that only 17 of them escaped. As the grenadiers form part of the Modder river column, this bayonet charge may be connected with Lord Roberts' movement.

The leader says: "It was no vain report which told us of a strong Boer column in Zululand. It has been strong enough to drive back Colonel Addison's column, which had been working up from Eschowe. This place is unpleasantly close to the sea, which, if the Boers should get there, they would practically have a port; not a big one, but still a port. Even at Chieveley camp, the Boers are keeping General Buller's men lively. The statements of Mr. Chamberlain and Mr. Balfour in the house of common regarding the arming of natives opens up a new prospect of horror in this calamitous war. However great the provocation, we should regard arming the undisciplined, uncivilized Kaffirs as an act of the gravest folly. To put a rifle in the hands of a savage is to invite him to commit atrocities. He has no other conception of warfare."

Advance of French.

Riet River, Orange Free State, Feb. 14.—(Delayed)—General French, in command of the cavalry division, and with a strong force of horse artillery, left Modder River Sunday morning for Ramabab, 12 miles east of Enslit, where the whole division concentrated. The next day he made a rapid march to Riet river, where a party of Boers contested his passage at DeKil and Waterfall drifts. After some hours' shelling, General French drove the Boers away and crossed the river.

Tuesday the column continued its march to Klip and Remdaval drifts, on the Modder river, where again a short engagement ensued, General French shelling the Boers vigorously and forcing a passage.

The Boers precipitately retired, leaving five laagers in the hands of the British, besides a great quantity of cattle and 2,000 sheep. The rapidity of General French's march and the overwhelming nature of his force enabled him in spite of the difficulties of water transportation to thoroughly outwit and surprise the Boers. The Boer casualties were light.

Colonel Hannay, while on his way to Ramban, encountered 500 Boers with two guns, holding a kopje commanding the valley leading to the drift. The fighting lasted all day long and the Boers disappeared during the night. Thirteen men reported missing from Hannay's force are prisoners. They were informed that an agreement had been reached between the British officer commanding the extreme left and the commandant of the Boer ambulance that half a company of the British should be permitted to fetch water from a neighboring farmhouse. The ambulance then retired and the Boers rushed out of conceal-

ment and cut off the water party. The prisoners included an officer.

General French now holds both the Modder and Riet rivers between the Boers at Magersfontein and their base of supplies at Bloemfontein. Throughout the march the Free State farms were respected, but their members almost invariably fled, taking their effects.

British Evacuate Rensburg.

Arundel, Cape Colony, Feb. 16.—General Clements withdrew from Rensburg during the night. The Boers promptly followed, re-occupying their old position in the Taabosch hills, whence they have been shelling the British cavalry patrols, but ineffectually. The British guns returned the fire, making fairly accurate practice.

Roberts' Dispatch.

London, Feb. 16.—Following is Lord Roberts' message to the war office, dated Jacobsdale, Feb. 16: "French, with a force of artillery, cavalry and mounted infantry, reached Kimberley Thursday evening."

Occupied by Boers.

Cape Town, Feb. 16.—There is considerable alarm at Naauwpoort, owing to the report that a Boer force has occupied a position on a hill eight miles off that town.

AT FRANKFORT

Kentucky Democratic Legislators Will Resume Their Sessions.

Louisville, Feb. 16.—The Democrats of the legislature will resume their sessions in the state capitol at Frankfort. Both houses met at noon, and after a short session took a recess until in the afternoon. A quorum was present in the house, but not in the senate, and the interim was spent in drumming up one. A quorum was necessary for the passage of a concurrent resolution to resume sessions at Frankfort. The committee appointed to investigate conditions at Frankfort made no formal report.

Beckham's Suit.

Frankfort, Ky., Feb. 16.—Nothing was done in the case of Beckham against Taylor and Marshall before Judge Cantrill at Georgetown. By agreement between the attorneys everything was laid over until Wednesday, Feb. 21. In the meantime proceedings in both cases are to remain at a stand while the attorneys confer and try to agree on some mode of procedure. The matter is then to be brought up before Judge Cantrill at Frankfort Feb. 23, if no agreement is reached in the meantime.

Taylor's Attorneys.

Frankfort, Ky., Feb. 16.—Governor Taylor's attorneys are considering several names of eminent lawyers, some of whom will be selected to assist in fighting the Kentucky contests before the supreme court at Washington. Among those talked of and who may be among those retained are Judson Harmon of Cincinnati, attorney general under Mr. Cleveland during a part of his last administration, and ex-Senator George F. Edmunds.

Appeal From Taft's Decision.

Cincinnati, Feb. 16.—Attorney H. B. McKay, who, with ex-Governor Bradley and other attorneys, interested in the Kentucky election contest cases, appeared before United States Circuit Judge William H. Taft in chambers and filed notice of an appeal from the decision rendered by the latter on Wednesday afternoon. The appeal will be taken direct to the United States supreme court.

Japan's New Navy.

San Francisco, Feb. 16.—Advices from Yokohama are as follows: The coming naval maneuvers of the Japanese fleet are attracting great interest. The display of Japan's increased naval power, which will make a most imposing spectacle, will undoubtedly tend to increase the war spirit of the nation.

Bryan in Florida.

Jacksonville, Fla., Feb. 16.—Hon. W. J. Bryan arrived here and after breakfast left for Brooksville, where he will visit his cousin, Hon. William Jennings. A large crowd was at the hotel and cheered Mr. Bryan when he arrived. Mr. Bryan will return to Jacksonville Wednesday.

Deep Sea Sounding.

San Francisco, Feb. 16.—The United States steamship Nevo, during its recent survey for the transpacific cable, broke the record for deep sea soundings. On sounding near Guam island marked 5,269 fathoms, only a trifle short of six statute miles.

Senate Financial Bill.

Washington, Feb. 16.—The senate substitute for the house currency bill, and with an international bimetallic clause attached, was passed by the senate by a vote of 46 to 29. Among the features of the bill is one providing for national banks of \$35,000 capital in towns of not over 4,000.

SENTENCED TO DEATH.

Mollieux to Sit in the Electric Chair During the Week of March 26.

New York, Feb. 16.—Roland B. Mollieux was sentenced to die in Sing Sing prison during the week of March 26 for the murder of Mrs. Katherine J. Adams. He made a statement asserting that he had not been fairly convicted and that "yellow journalism" had put a price on his head.

After denouncing the newspapers and making quite an extended argument in his own behalf, the defendant paused, either to regain his composure or to control his temper, and went on speaking with remarkable clearness and angry vehemence. "I denounce and despise," he said, "the act of the district attorney in attempting to vilify the reputation of the pure and lovely woman who bears my name. It was the act of a blackguard and a villainous lie. Now, your honor (to the recorder), I am prepared for sentence. I am not afraid."

Machinery For Russia.

New York, Feb. 16.—Enormous shipment of agricultural machinery are being made to Russia for the development of the vast wheat fields of Siberia. Much machinery will go to Vladivostok from Pacific coast ports. The steamship Crewe is loading at Philadelphia 7,835 tons, mostly mowers and reapers. The cargo valued at \$230,000 will be sent to Novorossisk on the Black sea, from which point it will be distributed throughout Siberia and Russia proper.

Bates' Expedition.

Manilla, Feb. 26.—Brigadier General Alfred E. Bates and Brigadier General Bell, with the Fortieth and Forty-fifth infantry, Keeler's battery and many pack mules, started for the province of Camarines. The cruiser Baltimore and the transports Tartar and Athenian compose the fleet, which, with the gunboats accompanying, will land at Nueva, Casceres and sweep the province. It is expected there will be much campaigning in the mountains.

Papers For Carnegie.

Pittsburg, Feb. 16.—A special messenger bearing a copy of the Frick bill in equity and other documents necessary to the preparations of an answer to the suit against the Carnegie Steel company left for Dungeness, Fla. He was sent in response to a telegram from Mr. Carnegie, who is desirous of inspecting important papers having a direct bearing on the line of defense, previous to his departure for Pittsburg next week.

Had No Jurisdiction.

Southampton, Feb. 16.—Edward Galer, a deck cadet on the American line steamer St. Louis, who was arrested here on Feb. 9 for the alleged theft of two bills of acceptance for 21,134 marks, in transit from Berlin to New York, was brought up in court and discharged, as the robbery took place on board of an American ship outside of English jurisdiction, and as the United States had given no intention of demanding extradition.

Li Hung Chang's Job.

Peking, Feb. 16.—An imperial edict just issued commands Li Hung Chang to desecrate and destroy the tombs of the ancestors of the Chinese reformer, Kang Yu Wei, and offers 100,000 taels for the capture of Kang Yu Wei, dead or alive. Though the edict purports to emanate from the emperor, it is evidently the work of the dowager empress, whose bitterness toward the reformers is thus further evidenced.

Treaty With Brazil.

Rio de Janeiro, Feb. 16.—Dr. Edouardo Wilde, the Argentine minister to the United States, sailed on the Coralliere, via Europe, for his post at Washington. The American minister, Colonel Charles Bryan, at a conference with the foreign office, has proposed to abandon the duty on Brazilian coffee imported into the United States in exchange for reciprocal advantages for American goods, exported to Brazil.

Government Troops Defeated.

New York, Feb. 16.—The latest advices from Venezuela are that the Hernandez revolution is most active, and is gaining. General Ron, commanding a force of revolutionists, attacked 1,200 government troops under Generals Martin and Guevara at Guacara. The government troops were defeated. Eight hundred rifles and a large quantity of ammunition fell into the hands of the revolutionists.

A Price on His Head.

Lansing, Mich., Feb. 16.—Secretary of State Stearns, as chairman of the state board of auditors, authorized Sheriff Porter to offer a reward of \$1,000 for the apprehension of ex-Quartermaster General William L. White, who is wanted on the charge of alleged embezzlement of state funds while a member of the Michigan military board, and who disappeared several weeks ago.

FEARS CHEAP LABOR.

Senator McEnery Objects to the Re-tention of the Philippines.

WANTS ORDER BEFORE WITHDRAWAL

Local Self-Government For the Natives Advocated by Senator Stewart—The Day's Doings in Congress.

Washington, Feb. 16.—At the opening of the senate it was decided that when the senate adjourn it be until Monday next.

Mr. Bacon's resolution declaring the policy of the United States toward the Philippine islands was laid before the senate, and Mr. McEnery (Dem., La.) addressed the senate thereon in accordance with previous notice. Mr. McEnery said the question presented to congress was a difficult one, and time alone could solve it. The Philippines, he said, had no conception of liberty guided by law. Order established one day on the islands would be succeeded the next by disorder and anarchy. He deprecated the acquisition of lands whose productions in the very nature of things were similar to many articles produced in parts of this country. The growth of cotton in Luzon, by the cheap and degraded labor to be had there, would interfere with the establishment of cotton mills in the south and New England. He declared it would have been well if Admiral Dewey had sailed away from Manilla after his glorious victory, and left the Filipinos and the Spaniards to fight out their differences.

Mr. McEnery said the sums were being expended in the Philippines would easily reclaim the arid lands of the west and the now useless lands of the Mississippi valley. He opposed expansion, and said he believed that God will solve the problem by destroying the inferior races. He thought, however, the government should establish its authority there before withdrawing. Mr. McEnery complimented the efforts of the president to establish government on the island.

He was followed by Mr. Stewart, who said in part:

"The Philippines will never be dependent colonies. They will be allowed to conduct their own affairs, with the assistance of such officers as it may be necessary to appoint to aid them in establishing local self-government. No one pretends that the Filipinos are now fit for statehood, but I repudiate the suggestion they are not fit for just such government as Jefferson extended to the Louisiana purchase, and Monroe to the acquisition of Florida."

"The president has acted wisely in selecting an eminent jurist in the prime of life to assist the natives of the islands in establishing local self-government after the models which our country so abundantly furnishes."

"We want very little legislation for the Philippines. We want their leaders to come here and see how we govern ourselves, to enable them to do likewise. The absurd charge that there is any intention on the part of the administration, or the Republican or Democratic party, to govern the Philippines, or any other territory which we have acquired or may acquire as colonies, by the strong arm of the military power, is entirely without foundation."

"The country has a right to know that no imperialism or militarism is intended. Whatever mistakes may have been made in dealing with the Filipinos, or in failing to fully acquaint them with the policy of our government, the president's message recommending equal laws for Puerto Rico, and the appointment of Judge Taft to commence the work of instructing and aiding the Filipinos to establish and maintain local self-government indicate very clearly that the president has no idea of departing from the teaching of the fathers, or of establishing an empire on the ruins of the republic."

Washington, Feb. 16.—At the opening of the session of the house Mr. Bennett, the secretary of the senate, announced in the house the passage of the currency bill by the senate. Mr. Overstreet (Ind.), who had charge of the house bill, asked unanimous consent that the senate amendments be disagreed to, and that the house agree to a conference. There was no objection, and it was so ordered. The house then went into committee of the whole and resumed the consideration of the legislative appropriation bill.

Some husbands suggest nothing so much as that more or less backbone came away with the rib that woman was made of.—Detroit Journal.

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SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 17, 1900.

WEATHER FORECAST FOR KENTUCKY—Fair and continued cold to-night and Sunday.

The Republicans shouldn't object to "government by injunction." They have been at it so long they ought to be used to it now.

The Republican members of the Legislature have at last found out who are the "rumps." When it came to getting their per diem, they had to go to the clerk of Democratic body for their vouchers.

On account of Goebelism and its methods some K-republicans express a desire to leave Kentucky and make their homes where liberty dwells and where the laws afford protection.—Public Ledger.

Well, let 'em go. Maybe there would be fewer assassinations in Kentucky then.

SENATOR PLATT, of Connecticut, doesn't agree with those smart Republican editors who have been telling their readers that the silver question is a dead issue. In the Senate Thursday he said whatever may be said about imperialism or "the tolling masses," the issue will be the same as four years ago—whether or not we shall have a silver standard in the United States. Imperialism, trusts and the silver question are issues the Republicans will have to face next campaign.

A WRITER in the Farmers Voice makes a suggestion not without merit, and that is, that wagons shall be taxed according to width of tire and the funds thus raised devoted to the repair of the public highways. His schedule is as follows: Wagon tires measuring two inches and less across, an annual tax of \$20; those measuring three inches or less, \$15; the four-inch, \$10; the five-inch, \$5; six-inch no tax at all. There is no doubt that a law of this kind would prove a good one. The narrow-tired wagon is a road destroyer; the broad tire a road maker.

The Republican Big Four in Kentucky this year are to be: William O. Bradley, William S. Taylor, George Denny and Sam White, the colored minister of Owensboro. They are going to the Philadelphia convention as the Kentucky delegates-at-large. There is a possibility of Deboe being substituted for Denny, but the latter is now very strong with the rank and file of the Republican party. The banner the Kentucky four will carry is to read: "Roosevelt and Bradley!"

McKinley's failure to aid Taylor's cause, or even encourage him in any way, may result seriously for the President.—Cincinnati Post.

This settles it. McKinley will at once quit when he learns Roosevelt and Bradley are after him.

FARMERS ON SHIP SUBSIDIES.

Illinois farmers are among the latest opponents of the Hanna-Payne bill for enriching the Standard Oil Company and its allies through government subsidies to vessel-owning corporations. Resolutions were adopted the other day by Panoma Grange, No. 33, of Peoria, Ill., and sent as a protest to Washington, among which are these significant sentences:

We denounce the capitalist measure now pending in Congress to grant millions of public money in subsidies to shipbuilders, and hereby petition our Representatives to oppose the bill.

We desire to see our merchant marine prosperous by independent competition, but not by assessments on the grain growers and other unaided industries of the country.

The preamble recites that the grain-growing farmers of this country have to compete in the markets of the world with the grain growers of other countries, and to depend for their profits on such prices as they are able to obtain by independent competition; that they do this without government aid of any sort, and that the signers of the protest believe Congress "cannot justly enact special legislation to favor one industry at the expense of other classes of the people."

These men are evidently in earnest, remarks the Chicago Journal, and their Representatives will act the part of wisdom if they listen to them, instead of to the hired lobbyists that swarm in Washington spending money like water to have this gigantic piece of thievery jammed through.

What American grain-growers are interested in is low freights. Low freights do not result from putting the carrying trade into the hands of a trust, as the Hanna-Payne bill will do. It is to free competition on the sea that the producers and exporters of this country must look for reasonable carrying charges on the goods they send to foreign markets, and the way to secure that is to repeal the iniquitous navigation laws that deny American registry to foreign-built ships and let the American merchant marine take its chances in a fair fight for trade.

STATE RECORDS DAMAGED.

Some of Taylor's Soldiers Charged With Vandalism—Outrageous Work on Part of Some One.

[Courier-Journal.]

By the vandalism of the soldiers who were permitted to do as they please in the State house and Executive building at Frankfort, incalculable damage has been done the records and property of the State. Vaults have been opened and historical records carried away, the Auditor's files have been seriously damaged and many vouchers destroyed, the law library has been utterly ruined, the historical museum is a wreck, the valuable Collins legacy has been damaged beyond repair, files of Kentucky newspapers for a century have been mutilated and other damage done which it is impossible to repair.

Up in the old geological survey room, now a sort of historical museum, the confusion is great. This room is entered through double glass doors. The glass has been broken from one of the doors and the opening closed with a patch of sheetiron and cardboard braced with a piece of wood forced between the door frames. Four huge goods boxes are piled just inside the door and each is filled with the remnants of valuable old records, old shoes, preserved meat cans, with a useless Springfield rifle thrown on top as a grewsome reminder of the cause of it all. Piled up in another corner are the sweepings of many days, leaves from rare old books, manuscript copies of valuable, early-century records, and a miscellaneous lot of soldiers' clothes making up the pile of junk.

In this same room is the Collins historical library, the legacy left the State by Collins, the historian, and his illustrious father. It included work of Kentucky history which probably no other library in the world had. Next to the library owned by Col. Durrett, of Louisville, it was probably the most valuable on a single subject extant. The damage done this library is incalculable. Like all the other books in the room, they were made to serve every whim which an unrestrained soldier's imagination might suggest. After the soldiers had been cleared out many of these rare volumes were found under the stove and in the coal scuttles. The pages were trampled upon and the leaves torn, muddled and rendered almost illegible. This room was in control of Col. Ed Porter Thompson, whose porter had the keys. He said he was powerless to prevent the scandalous treatment of the books because the soldiers had captured the porter and taken the keys from him.

Mr. Frank Kavanaugh, the Assistant Librarian said: "It will take a man at least a year to rearrange what records the soldiers have left, and to get the libraries in shape again. We spent months last year arranging the book exhibits in the historical department. The continuity of many records have been broken and we hardly dare hope that they will ever be completed again. In the destruction of the newspaper files alone, more history has been destroyed in one week than can be made in a century. Every library in the possession of the State must be gone over again and arranged in order. How many of these books are gone we will be unable to say for months; certainly not until we have gone all over them and compared them with the catalogues."

[Richmond Register.]

It is a fact that vandals have made away with many valuable relics from the rooms of the State Historical Society in the Executive building at Frankfort during the stay of the troops. Historic old and rare souvenirs of pioneer days of the Commonwealth have been hawked about on the streets. There is no telling at the present to what extent this has been carried, nor can there be until the proper custodians are again in charge, and have made an examination of the collection.

[Frankfort Argus.]

A great many of the soldiers have gone to their homes, but they left a mark behind them in this city that will be a disgrace to them forever. It has come to light that drawers have been opened in the State building, locks broken and goods of the State taken. The Historical Society room, where the soldiers were permitted to sleep, was also touched by the soldiers, and it is said, very valuable relics have been taken. Rule or ruin seems to be the tactics of the tinsplate Cromwell.

He Wants Pie.

[Trenton Democrat.]

Two old-time darkeys were over heard discussing politics on the streets of Trenton one day this week, when one of them said: "Now, I speaks the plain truf when I says the niggah has got some 'scuse fo' bein' a Republican, but I tells yo' de plain truf agin when I says dat when yo' hears a white man, 'special here in Trenton, talkin' 'bout bein' a Republican, yo'd better watch dat man, fo' he has no 'scuse fo' bein' a Republican at all, 'cept he wants some Republican pie."

CHEESE straws, reception flakes, lunch milk—Calhoun's.

ABERDEEN Masons will have a banquet next Thursday evening.

THE temperature was down to 3° this morning. Three inches of snow.

PREACHING at the Christian Church tomorrow at the usual hours. All invited.

WOODFORD County's assessment this year is \$8,034,527, an increase over 1899 of nearly \$50,000.

THE C. and O.'s earnings in January were \$1,097,443, an increase of \$173,033 over the same month last year.

A MOVEMENT is on foot to build a turnpike from Aberdeen down through the river bottoms, to connect with the Ripley pike.

If the Legislature passes a bill creating the office of Fish, Bird and Game Warden, Maurice Hook, Sheriff of Bracken County, will be a candidate for the place.

THERE will be services at Mitchell Chapel this afternoon at 2:30, this evening at 7, and to-morrow at 10:30 a. m. and 7 p. m. Rev. W. S. Grinstead will preach. The public invited.

THE Court of Appeals has decided to resume its sittings in Frankfort Monday. Many of the court records have been lost or stolen through the vandalism of the soldiers, an iron box containing records being emptied and used as a cooking utensil.

POYNTZ Bros. are the only Maysville distillers selling pure liquors by the quart, gallon or barrel, direct from distillery to consumer. Seven-year-old whisky \$2 per gallon. Age and quality guaranteed. Get the best. Office 126 Market street—Watson's old stand.

A \$750 VERDICT was returned in the \$3,500 damage suit by Dr. B. F. Eckman against Dr. F. F. Bryan, of Georgetown. Eckman alleged that Bryan deceived him into moving there from Mt. Carmel, he having made a contract for the purchase of Bryan's practice for one year.

REV. F. W. HARROP has been engaged in a revival service at Foster and attending the Y. M. C. A. convention at Covington but will return this evening and preach to-morrow at the M. E. Church at 10:30 a. m. and 7 p. m. Sunday school at 9:15, Epworth League at 6:15. You are invited to these services.

MR. W. T. COLE, of Greenup, has announced his candidacy for Congress subject to the action of the Democrats. Will is a son of Judge A. E. Cole, of this city, and has many friends in this end of the district. Mr. Frank Powers, of Grayson, and Mr. Edgar B. Hager, of Ashland, are also mentioned as probable candidates.

DAVID M. BRENNAN, editor of the Manchester Signal, has announced his candidacy for Mayor of that place, and says in his announcement that if elected he will give the salary of \$10 a month to charity. Recently the Council refused to reimburse the Business Men's Association for constructing a ferry, and this issue, along with proposed improvements, is involved.

HAVING a larger stock of sterling silver knives, forks and spoons than I care to carry, I will offer sterling silver tea spoons at \$2.50 per set; Rogers & Bros.' 1847 knives and forks and spoons at a lower price than any other dealer; eight-day clock, \$2; sterling silver sugar spoon or cream ladle, only \$1; ladies' or gents' gold-filled watch, only \$10.

MURPHY, the jeweler.

THE Howard-Dorset Company gave a fine interpretation of the drama, "The Two Orphans," last night, and the large audience that braved the weather was fully repaid. The members of the company acquitted themselves in a most satisfactory manner, and they truly deserve to be called the best repertoire company that has played in our city. This afternoon they will present the funny comedy, "My Mother's Husband's Boy," and to-night, "What Happened to Turner." Matinee prices 10 and 20 cents. Night prices 10, 20 and 30 cents.

PYTHIANISM.

Next Monday the Thirty-sixth Anniversary of the Order—Limestone Lodge to Observe it To-morrow Evening.

Next Monday is the thirty-sixth anniversary of the order of the Knights of Pythias. Limestone Lodge No. 36 will celebrate the event to-morrow evening by attending services at the First Baptist Church at 7 o'clock when the pastor, Rev. J. W. Porter, will deliver an address on "Pythianism."

All members of the lodge are requested to meet at Castle Hall at 6 o'clock to-morrow evening, and attend the services in a body. Members of neighboring lodges and visiting Knights in the city are specially invited.

A cordial invitation to the public.

Closing Linen Notes!

Our sales have doubled last year's. Have you been among the wise buyers? Monday closes the ten days sale. The last chance is sometimes the best. Take it. TABLE LINENS.—35c. and 45c. do wonders in table linen buying. Interested? Then don't delay. Buying now is almost like getting a discount on dollars.

TOWELS.—The Huckabacks you've known at 16c. are 12c. now; 20c. Towels 15c.; 25c. Towels 19c. Towelings of all grades at deep reductions. Rough crashes for kitchen service; soft lintless linen for fine China, glass and silverware, 3c., 5c., 6c. up to old fashioned Russia at 12c.

NAPKINS.—Bohemian linen. Dozen of Maysville housewives know their sturdy goodness; 22 inches square. \$1.33 a dozen. Not many left. At \$1.69 a doz. we've big, strong German drill napkins, worth more at wholesale. Satin damask napkins, dew bleached in Ireland, \$1. When you see them you will expect to pay a third more.

TABLE DAMASK as never before by the yard in all widths. Creamy satin damask cloths or sturdy unbleached; close woven, closer sold. Many sizes and designs, in quantities from medium to very fine. Priced almost in halves like this: 45c. unbleached 29c; 50c. unbleached 39c; 65c. cream or white 49c; 85c. bleached 69c; \$1 bleached 75c.; \$2, \$1.39.

D. HUNT & SON.

TELEPHONE 141.

Martin Sells



THE WIDOW JONES SUITS
 ARE MADE ON HONOR AND SOLD
 ON THEIR COMBINED MERITS OF
 QUALITY, STYLE AND FIT.

\$2.50

Buys an all wool Dickey Jersey
 Knee Pants Suit, sewed with
 silk; double-breasted coat, and
 double knee and seated pants,
 ages 4 to 16.

ALL BOYS' SUITS
 ARE REDUCED
 IN PRICE,

until the 20th of the month.
 See west window for a few
 samples.

MARTIN & CO.

Rare Opportunity!

To purchase Solid Silver and Silver
 plated Knives, Forks and Spoons at an
 unusually low price at

CLOONEY'S,

headquarters for Gorham Solid Silver
 and Rogers 1847 Silver Plated Ware,
 the best brands on earth. In Watches,
 Jewelry or Diamonds you protect best
 your interests by getting our prices
 before purchasing, as we never mis-
 represent. Fitting of glasses a specialty.

For sale, clover seed.

T. J. WINTER & Co.

Do You Know...

Almost the next man called upon after the undertaker is the photographer. Such is the case. How sad it is when the loved one has left only a miserable faded picture made in years gone by. In such cases we do the best we can, but many times it's impossible to do anything. Now with the best photos at such reasonable prices, there's no excuse for not having a good picture. Your friends will appreciate it. We make the best.

CADY'S

ART STUDIO.

THE EQUITABLE LIFE ASSURANCE SOCIETY OF THE UNITED STATES.

January 1, 1900.

Assets.....	\$280,191,287
Assurance fund and other liabilities.....	\$ 219,073,809
Surplus.....	61,117,478
Outstanding assurance.....	1,084,416,422
Assurance applied for in 1899.....	237,356,616
Examined and declined.....	34,054,778
New assurance issued.....	235,301,832

JAMES W. ALEXANDER, President.
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A SMALL FARM

....AT AUCTION....

On SATURDAY, the 3rd day of March, 1900, at 2 o'clock p. m., I will offer at public auction on the premises

84 ACRES OF LAND,

situated within one mile of Maysville, on the Lexington and Jersey Ridge Turnpike roads. The land is well improved, suitable for gardening, pasture or farm land.

Terms.—One-third cash, one-third in nine months and one-third in eighteen months. Bond and security for the deferred payments. Possession given when the terms of the sale are complied with.

February 12, 1900.

A. N. ELLIS, A. M., M. D.

Formerly Clinical Assistant in the London Central Throat and Ear Hospital; Prof. Laryngology, Cincinnati College Medicine and Surgery '82-'90.

Specialist in Diseases of the Eye, Ear and Throat. Eyes tested and glasses ground to order. Office: 126 W. Third street.

L. H. Landman, M. D.,

Of 547 West Ninth Street, CINCINNATI.

Will be at the Central Hotel, Maysville, Ky., Thursday, MARCH 1st, 1900, returning every first Thursday in each month.

JAMES N. KEHOE,

Attorney at Law.

Office: Court street, east side.

R. D. and Stanton Mitchell raised on the Needham Parry farm near Washington last season 11,245 pounds of tobacco on five acres of ground, and have sold it to Mr. Stiles, of this city, at 9 cents 'round.

The Appetite of a Goat

Is envied by all poor dyspeptics whose stomach and liver are out of order. All such should know that Dr. King's New Life Pills, the wonderful stomach and liver remedy, gives a splendid appetite, sound digestion and a regular bodily habit that insures perfect health and great energy. Only 25c. at J. J. Wood & Son's drug store.

The Bee Hive

NEW SPRING

Dress Gingham and Percales

The early arrival of these goods is to meet the demands of the prudent housewife who begins to do her Spring sewing now. In Gingham we are showing about seventy-five different styles in checks and stripes and the new corded effects. You'll find them in all colors and designs and prettier than ever before. They are the regular 12½c. grade, but our price is 9½c. a yard. Our percales are a full yard wide and made of the very best fabric. The stock is very large and contains a most select variety of patterns for shirts and shirt waists. Price, 12½c. a yard.

SUPERB LACE ALL OVERS.

Dame Fashion has decreed the Lace All Overs as the proper material for Spring and Summer of 1900. They will be used extensively for yokes and fronts of shirt waists, and where the purse can stand it, for the shirt waist complete. We have them in large quantities, comprising the daintiest of designs—all our direct importations—and at prices to insure you a saving. They range in widths from 18 to 22 inches. Prices from 49c. to \$1.98. It will pay you to investigate.

BUYERS OF TOBACCO COTTONS.

Will find that our store is still headquarters for these goods. We are showing six different grades at prices ranging from 1½ to 3½c. a yard. You'll find the best quality for the least money here.

ROSENAU BROS.,

PROPRIETORS OF THE BEE HIVE,

KINGS OF LOW PRICES

SUNDAY SCHOOL INSTITUTE.

A Word to Teachers, Pastors, Officers and Others Interested in Sunday School Work.

The Sunday school institute to be held in Maysville, at the M. E. Church, Feb. 23rd and 24th, under the auspices of Mason County S. S. Union Association, will be a rare opportunity to gain new thoughts and the best methods extant for teachers, and plans for conducting a Sunday school.

What the county institute is to the public school teacher, the Sunday school institute is to the Sunday school worker. It deals with "what to teach," "when and how to teach it." Every one wishing to get greatest good should come prepared with rote book and pencil and should be willing to receive and impart information.

This institute is free to all who take advantage of it. It is hoped that every Sunday school worker of the county and city will make a special effort to attend the institute if possible.

The various pastors and superintendents of the county and city are requested to announce the institute to-morrow and urge attendance. Come, and bring your workers with you. Programs have been sent to the various schools and will later be published.

Prof. E. A. Fox is an experienced teacher and an able institute conductor.

E. SWIFT, Pres. S. S. Association.

FRED FRANK, once a popular Maysville ball player, will be given a trial by the St. Louis league club this season. Frank was tried by this team on a former occasion, but, on account of his lack of experience, and youth, the trial was unsatisfactory. He now resides in Ashland. His many friends and admirers here believe he will succeed in holding his place in fast company.

Racket'sPrices!

Dish Pan, 12c.
One-half gal. Milk Cans, 10c.
Coffee Mill—holds one lb. coffee, 33c.
Pudding Pans, 3c.
Twenty-five lb. Scales, 7c.
Combination Saw/cutter and Grater, 18c.
Coffee and Tea Strainer, 3c.
Granite Tea Kettle, 44c.
2500 Toothpicks, 3c.
No. 2 Lamp Burner, 6c.
No. 1 Lamp Burner, 5c.
No. 2 Lamp Chimneys, 5c.
No. 1 Lamp Chimneys, 4c.
Everything in Notions, Tin, Glass, Granite and Wooden Ware.

Racket Store.

BORN, to Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Lynch, a son.

RAY's cough syrup is guaranteed to cure that cough. At Postoffice Drug-store.

THE L. and N. pay car was here Thursday evening distributing coin among the employees.

REV. J. S. MILLER, Presiding Elder of Middlesboro district, M. E. Church, is ill with smallpox.

MR. WM. CLARK, of this county, is ill at the home of his daughter near Lewisburg, of heart trouble.

MRS. BASIL DUKE has presented a handsome portrait of Longfellow to the Maysville High School.

CHURCH OF THE NATIVITY—Litany, sermon and holy communion at 10:30 a. m. Evening prayer at 4 p. m.

JOHN TAUBMAN, a brother of Elder Geo. P. Taubman formerly of Mayslick, died this week at Cleveland, O.

THE Comptroller of the Currency has called for a report of the condition of national banks on Feb. 13th.

WANTED, to buy a nice Mason County farm of 100 to 150 acres. Address, Jesse H. Calvert, North Fork, Ky.

HARRY SMITH is on trial in the Circuit Court to-day for shooting and wounding Charley Breckinridge last Christmas.

THE Maysville High School is in receipt of a handsome gift from Miss Jessie Judd—twenty-five volumes of good books.

REV. H. E. GABBY will preach at Aberdeen Baptist Church to-morrow at 3 p. m. Sunday school at 2 o'clock. The public invited.

TAKE Chenoweth's Cough Syrup for coughs, colds and all affections of the lungs and throat. Made by Thos. J. Chenoweth.

THERE will be preaching at the Christian Church in Mayslick to-morrow morning and evening by Elder Joe Severance, of Stanford, Ky. All invited.

USUAL services at the Baptist Church. Morning subject, "The Hart and the Waterbrook. At night the pastor will deliver a lecture to the Knights of Pythias. Sunday school 9:30. Young People's prayer meeting 6:15 p. m.

BALLENGER, the jeweler, never resorts to any clap-trap to attract customers. He relies upon the superiority of his goods, for business founded on that is built on solid rock. He takes great pleasure in showing his fine stock of goods, and invites you to call.

He Fooled the Surgeons.

All doctors told Renick Hamilton, of West Jefferson, O., after suffering 18 months from rectal fistula, he would die unless a costly operation was performed; but he cured himself with five boxes Bucklen's Arnica Salve, the surest cure on earth and the best salve in the world. 25 cents a box. Sold by J. James Wood & Son, druggists.

Public Sale.

I will offer at public sale the Mountjoy farm of eighty-three acres at Summit Station, on the L. and N. R. R., at 10 a. m. Saturday, March 3.

F. DEVINE, agent Mountjoy heirs.

MR. I. M. LANE has been confined to the house since Wednesday with a severe cold.

THE Pastors' Union will meet on Monday at 10 a. m. sharp, at the First Presbyterian Church.

WE HAVE NOW THE HANDSOMEST CLOTHING HOUSE IN THE STATE.

We are justly proud of it. We are also proud of its contents. You cannot but admit that our house is a satisfactory place to deal with. We sell you goods that are ALWAYS as represented. We cannot sell you inferior merchandise. Why? Because we do not buy that kind.

WE ARE NOW RECEIVING OUR SPRING STOCK,

of which we will tell you all about as the season advances. Just now we want to say something about what we carry over in heavy weights. The advance in woolen fabrics is from 25 to 40 per cent. This advance you will have to pay next fall and winter SURE. Consult the woolen market and you will see that this statement is not at all overdrawn. Now do as we do. During our Mr. Hechinger's stay in the Eastern markets he secured many lots of high-class Clothing (to be sure some of these lots were somewhat broken in sizes) at prices actually one-half of the price if they were made now.

THESE GOODS ARE NOW IN,

and as we did not buy them for speculation, but bought them to give our patrons the advantage of the purchase, they are put right in stock and whatever you select and buy of them will save you more money than you have an idea they will. See the goods and prices in our windows, or still better come in and let us show you the advantage of buying a winter Suit or Overcoat now.

HECHINGER & CO.

"As Long As It Lasts"

At a special bargain. Having purchased a lot of eight-year-old whisky that was required to be tax-paid, we have concluded to give our customers the benefit of it, and place the strictly straight, pure eight-year-old Bourbon by quart, gallon or barrel on sale at \$2 gallon. Purity, age and being two-stamped goods, guaranteed. Finest on earth.

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To Our Farmer Friends:

Don't buy any TOBACCO COTTONS until you price ours. Fair Tobacco Cotton at 1½c. per yard. Good Tobacco Cotton 2 cents per yard.

DOMESTICS.

If you are in need of any Bleached and Unbleached Muslin, our store is the one to call on. Cheaper than ever. Good Cottons, 4½c.; Lonsdale bleached, 7½c. 10 4-sheeting, 14c.

Just received, a large assortment of Window Blinds, 10c. up.

Lace Curtains from 49c. on up.

Carpets and Matings cheaper than ever.

SHOES! SHOES!

Plenty of them, cheaper than ever. Men's good Shoes, 98c.; Ladies from 50c. on up. Baby Shoes, 23c. Rubbers, 24c.

HAYS & CO.

P. S.—Indigo Blue Calico, 4c.; good fancy Calico, 4c.; Clark Thread, 4c.; good Thread, two spools for 5c.

The Best Is None Too Good For Our Customers.

Call and see our elegant stock of goods and get our prices, and you will be convinced that we can supply you with the very best goods in the FURNITURE line for as little money as such goods can be bought for anywhere.

Our Undertaking Department

is unsurpassed in its thorough equipment, and is in charge of an experienced and careful Undertaker and Embalmer. The handsomest rubber-tired funeral car in this section.

FURNITURE OF ALL KINDS REPAIRED. Mattresses made to order.

McILVAIN & HUMPHREYS, PARKER BUILDING, SUTTON STREET, MAYSVILLE, KY.

A. O. U. W. *

Constitutional Amendments Adopted at the Grand Lodge Session This Week.

At the session of the Grand Lodge of Kentucky, A. O. U. W., this week in Louisville, constitutional amendments took up the closing hours of the meeting, and some spirited debates were indulged in. Among the amendments adopted was one providing for a salary of \$25 per month and expenses for the Grand Master Workman. The initiation was also reduced from \$3 to \$2.

One of the most bitterly contested points was the question of raising the fee for a beneficiary certificate from \$1 to \$2. This motion was lost.

The salary of the Grand Receiver was raised from \$250 to \$300 per annum. A mileage appropriation was turned over to the visiting delegates, covering their expenses of coming and going at the rate of 3 cents per mile.

Supreme Lodge Representatives were elected as follows: Sam S. Blitz, of Louisville; L. P. Young, of Lexington, and J. T. Simons, of Cythiana.

"LIMESTONE DEBATING CLUB."

Temperance Legislation the Subject of a Lively Discussion Last Night—"Annexation of Philippines" Next Subject.

Notwithstanding the inclemency of the weather, a large crowd gathered last night to hear the discussion of the following: "Resolved, That the prosperity of the nation depends largely upon more stringent temperance legislation."

Messrs. Daily, Kenny, Turnipseed, Politt, Dieterich and Meenach were the speakers of the evening.

The judges decided in favor of the affirmative. Two applications for membership were received. "The Annexation of the Philippines" will be the subject for next Friday night.

MR. JAMES BRANNEN sold a pair of mules Friday to Mr. Dugan, the Vanceburg lumber merchant, for \$325.

A Life and Death Fight.

Mr. W. A. Hines, of Manchester, Ia., writing of his almost miraculous escape from death, says: "Exposure after measles induced serious lung trouble, which ended in consumption. I had frequent hemorrhages and coughed night and day. All my doctors said I must soon die. Then I began to use Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, which completely cured me. I would not be without it even if it cost \$5 a bottle. Hundreds have used it on my recommendation and all say it never fails to cure throat, chest and lung troubles." Regular size 50c. and \$1. Trial bottles free at J. J. Wood & Son's drug store.

A Positive and Emphatic Hit!

WASHINGTON

OPERA HOUSE

Three nights and Saturday matinee, commencing

Thursday, February 15

The versatile comedian, Mr. Geo. B. Howard, and the charming comedienne Miss Flora Dorset, supported by their splendid company of dramatic and vaudeville artists, presenting the following new plays: "For Love's Sake," "His Mother's Husband's Boy," "What Happened to Turner," and a great production of Kate Claxton's success,

"THE TWO ORPHANS."

A continuous show. The People's Prices—Night, 10, 20, 30 cts. Matinee, 10 cents to all.

As a special inducement and a guarantee of the excellence of this attraction, a lady will be admitted free on opening night, if accompanied by a person with a paid 30c. reserved seat ticket. Advance sale Monday a. m. at Nelson's.

WASHINGTON OPERA HOUSE,

MATINEE AND NIGHT.

Tuesday, February 20.

~DAVIS~

Uncle Tom's Cabin

Forty people—a brilliant production. Big street parade at noon.

Matinee Prices—Children 10c., Adults 20c. Night Prices—Entire lower floor 50c., first three rows balcony 50c., rest of balcony 35c., gallery 25c. Seats on sale at Nelson's Monday morning.

JAS. A. WALLACE,

.....FIRST-CLASS.....

RESTAURANT.

Meals served in best styles at all hours at reasonable prices. OYSTERS, FISH, GAME. Oysters sold by the quart or gallon.

Corner Market and Front Streets.

LOW PRICES.

GOOD WORK

MURRAY & THOMAS,

Manufacturers of and dealers in

GRANITE AND MARBLE MONUMENTS.

Building Stone always on hand.

108 W. Second Street, Maysville, Ky.



New, easy and pretty Two-Step March made a hit at theaters last week. Try it. Piano part only 10 cents. Full band or orchestra 30 cents. Send coin or stamps to GEORGE E. JOHNSTON, Room 5, southwest corner Fifth and Main, Cincinnati, Ohio.

LOST.

LOST—Christmas night, a ladies' fur cape, between C. and O. depot and Mayslick. Finder will please return to Parker's stable. 6-11

ROYAL BAKING POWDER

ABSOLUTELY PURE
Makes the food more delicious and wholesome

ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., NEW YORK

BROKE EVEN.

The Senators and Winners Each Won a Game in the Bowling Contest Last Night.

In the Maysville club tournament last night the Senators and Winners broke even. The score:

SENATORS.		
Watkins.....	187	162
Parker.....	89	134
Dye.....	156	144
C. D. Russell.....	131	119
Harney.....	133	169
	696	728
	689	
	7	

WINNERS.		
Roper.....	125	155
Kackley.....	124	164
Schroeder.....	137	160
Hopper.....	165	144
Kackley.....	138	141
	689	764
	689	728
	36	

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

	Won.	Lost.	
Senators.....	7	3	700
High Rollers.....	7	3	700
Rubes.....	3	7	300
Winners.....	3	7	300

The worries of a weak and sick mother are only begun with the birth of her child. By day her work is constantly interrupted and at night her rest is broken by the wailing of the peevish, puny infant. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription makes weak women strong and sick women well. It lightens all the burdens of maternity, giving to mothers strength and vigor, which they impart to their children. In over thirty years of practice Dr. Pierce and his associate staff of nearly a score of physicians have treated and cured more than half a million suffering women. Sick women are invited to consult Dr. Pierce by letter free of charge. All correspondence is strictly private. Address Dr. R. V. Pierce, Invalids' Hotel and Surgical Institute, Buffalo, N. Y.

Republican Leaders Ignored for Renegade Democrats.

[Midway Clipper.] William Sylvester Taylor turned down such men as Barr, Fairleigh and Marshall, who advised him to sign the peace agreement, and took the advice of such political renegades and tricksters as Breckinridge, Sharpe, Denny and Tyler. Taylor proves his viciousness by taking the advice of the vicious.

PERSONAL.

—Mr. C. C. Degman was in Cincinnati Friday.

—Rev. J. O. A. Vaught was at Dover Friday.

—Miss Mollie Edmonds has returned from a visit at Chicago.

—Mrs. Olle Spears, of Paris, is the guest of Mrs. H. C. Sharp.

—Mrs. W. W. Lynch is visiting her daughter, Mrs. W. L. Iardella, at Baltimore.

—Captain N. Cooper has returned from Cincinnati, much improved in health.

—Mr. Arthur Crutcher, of Versailles, will arrive this evening to be the guest of friends.

—Miss Lida Rogers gave a bowling party this morning in honor of Miss Gould, the guest of Mrs. Pearce Brown.

—Mrs. Maude Stephens has returned to her home at Frankfort after spending a week or so with her parents at Aberdeen.

—Rev. F. W. Harrop and General Secretary Baker, of the Y. M. C. A., have been attending the State convention at Covington.

—Hon. John W. Alexander returned Friday afternoon from Louisville, where he has been attending the sessions of the Legislature this week.

—Miss Margaret Duke Watson entertains with a theatre party this evening in honor of Miss Gould, Mrs. Pearce Brown's guest, and Mrs. Dr. Harover.

—Miss Lida Meyer Lowry, of this city, was one of the bridesmaids at the wedding of Miss Emilie A. James and Mr. William Bell Pierce, Wednesday at the home of the bride, at Cedar Lawn, Linwood. Miss Lowry was attired in a gown of pink and white silk and carried pink roses.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.
The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of *Charles H. Fletcher*

This youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Thompson is still very ill.

Y. M. C. A.

Books for the Library Still Being Contributed—The Men's Rally—The State Convention.

The men's rally at Y. M. C. A. Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock will be addressed by Mr. A. D. Cole. All men cordially invited.

Books continue to come in for the association library, and many more are wanted. Remember it is never too late to do good, and that if you have not yet given a book to the Y. M. C. A. library, one or even more will be very acceptable.

The State convention at Covington organized with C. C. Stoll, of Louisville, President; Vice Presidents, J. Bailey, of Madisonville, and Frank Katterjohn, of Owensboro; Secretary, A. Knox, of Paducah; Assistant Secretaries, R. E. Moss, of Kentucky University, and George H. Frank, of Maysville.

The State Executive Committee's report was read by Chairman James Edward Hardy. The committee will require \$6,000 to carry on the work for 1900.

Increased development along all lines of association work was shown by the report.

River News.

The Bonanza for Pomeroy, Queen City for Pittsburg and Speedwell for Portsmouth to-night.

Captain Mike Davis arrived Thursday night at Marietta, preparatory to bringing the Urania out. It is generally conceded that she will leave for Cincinnati to-day or Monday, and will enter the Kanawha independent trade.

Portsmouth Blade: "Captain George Edgington, of the Edgington line of steamers, has decided to establish a daily line of packets between this city and Cincinnati and for the time being will use the Wells and Speedwell. As soon as the necessary arrangements can be completed for the charter of the Mayflower, the Wells will be returned to the Maysville trade. This line has built up such a large trade that one boat cannot handle it. The Captain says he is willing to put in a dozen boats if the business will justify it."

The second tow of Walker County, Ala., coal, consisting of 7,000 tons of coal, has just started from Greenville, Miss., down the Mississippi river for New Orleans. This coal is part of a contract for 150,000 tons recently secured by Walker County operators through a New Orleans agency for the use of the Texas and Pacific railroad, which road has heretofore secured its supply from Pittsburg.

For the Farmer.

Lambs for future delivery are being sold in Bourbon at 5½ and 5¾ cents per pound.

J. T. Stewart, of Mercer, has bought over a thousand lambs, to be delivered in June and July, at 5 and 5½ cents a pound.

Cincinnati Price Current, Feb. 15th: The movement of hogs has held up well, fully equaling prevailing expectations. Total western packing for the week 470,000, compared with 480,000 the preceding week. For corresponding time last year the number was 405,000 and two years ago 475,000. From November 1 the total is 7,710,000, against 8,820,000 a year ago, a decrease of 1,110,000. In most instances the quality continues good, but to some extent it has shown a falling off; suggesting that finished stock in some localities is now closely disposed of. Prices are further advanced, the close showing an average gain of 5 and 10c. per hundred pounds, compared with a week ago."

Uncle Tom's Cabin.

This famous old play will again be presented in as new and attractive a form as modern thought and stage invention will permit, and doubtless, notwithstanding its age, the Washington Opera House, Tuesday, Feb. 20th, will do a profitable business. Harry West, a popular colored actor, will play Uncle Tom, and the remainder of the unusually large cast may be considered a competent one. A large number of colored plantation jubilee singers, a pack of Siberian bloodhounds, and an unusually gorgeous transformation scene, necessitating the utilizing in its unfolding of nine distinct drop scenes, will be some of the features that will greet the eye.

A matinee for ladies and children will be given at 3 p. m. Tuesday. Prices 10 and 20 cents.

Glorious News

Comes from Dr. D. B. Carzile, of Washita, I. T. He writes: "Four bottles of Electric Bitters has cured Mrs. Brewer of eczema, which had caused her great suffering for years. Terrible sores would break out on her head and face, and the best doctors could give no help; but her cure is complete and her health is excellent." This shows what thousands have proved, that Electric Bitters is the best blood purifier known. It's the supreme remedy for eczema, tetter, salt rheum, ulcers, boils and running sores. It stimulates liver, kidneys and bowels, expels poisons, helps digestion, builds up the strength. Only 50 cents. Sold by J. J. Wood & Son, druggists. Guaranteed.

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SHOE FOR WOMEN

WE ARE GIVING THIS BEAUTIFUL CATALOG AWAY TO OUR CUSTOMERS.

A shoe that misfits at the start will fit worse by wear. Ultra shoes fit like made-to-order shoes, because they are modeled on lasts formed from the human foot. That's why they are always comfortable and retain their shape when others fail.

HAVE YOU SEEN THE NEW SHOE FOR WOMEN?

H. C. BARKLEY & CO.

Dr. Anna B. Hewins, THE LADY DENTIST.

Has located permanently in Maysville where she has opened a dental parlor. All kinds of high class painless dentistry done in the most artistic and scientific manner. PRICES RIGHT. Gold crowns and bridge work \$5 to \$10. Best sets of teeth worth \$5 to \$10. Gold fillings \$1 and up. Office upstairs, next door to BULLETIN.

NOTICE.

Any person having a claim against Coughlin Bros., will please present it to me for payment. All persons owing the firm will please call and settle at once, by cash or note, and save trouble of further notice. M. F. COUGHLIN, Successor to Coughlin Bros.

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WANTED.

WANTED—A good white girl to do general housework. Apply at 323 West Third street. 15-3rd

WANTED—By a large old line Life Insurance Co., a strictly reliable and industrious man as general agent in Eastern Kentucky. To the right man a most excellent contract will be given. Correspondence will be treated as confidential. Address, with references, No. 33-34 Courier-Journal Building, Louisville, Ky.

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Second-hand carriages in first-class running order, suitable for livery or private use. Two Clerence glass front hacks, one large extension-top barouche, pole and shaft, one canopy-top cabriolet or surrey, all most as good as new; two piano box buggies, two cars, one break and one Fraser road cart. Will be sold worth the money. MOSE DAULTON & BRO., livery, sale and feed stable, 140-142 W. 2nd St. 17-4dlw

FOR SALE—A desirable dwelling house and lot situated in Lewisburg, Ky. Address G. N. BOLINGER, North Fork, Ky. 16-3t

FOR SALE OR RENT—My home on East Third Street. MRS. MARY T. COX. 14-dtf

The Only Lawless Citizen.

[Indianapolis Sentinel.] Mr. Taylor of Kentucky, is still awaiting a recognition of his authority and vociferating his opinion that if "the rights of the people" are destroyed the Democrats will be responsible. The people have the right to have the laws enforced, including the election law, and nobody has interfered with its enforcement but Mr. Taylor, his mobs and his soldiers. He alone has defied all forms of authority. And after learning that he has so far transgressed the laws of propriety and decency that a Republican national administration dare not support him; he abandons all his positions and poses as a martyr. Mr. Taylor is an interesting figure, and is probably the only living claimant of office who has succeeded in convincing the world that he probably secured his own election by intimidation and fraud.

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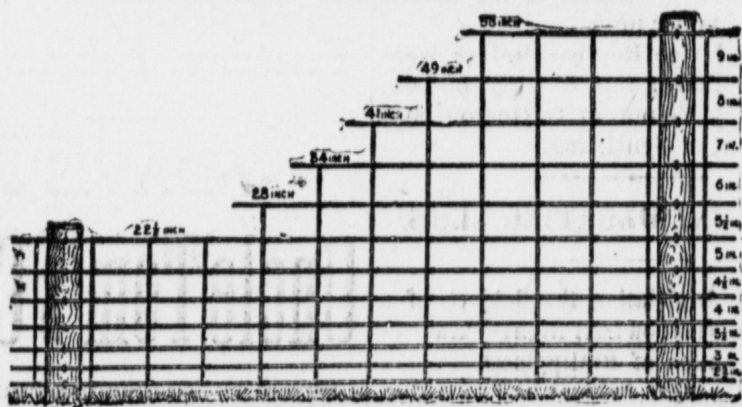
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